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PAID UP IN MANCHESTER

Candidates for Municipal Honors
Now Building Fences With
All Energy.

FUNERAL OF MRS. PORTER

Judge Clifton Grants a Liquor
License to A. F. Donald.
News Notes.

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No. 1102 Hull Street.

The political situation in Manchester is now at its height. All the candidates mentioned in this paper the other day paid up their fees, and are now full-fledged candidates for municipal honors. The fight in most of the wards will be hot. Opposition is rife in all but the Fourth Ward. In that ward the candidates for the lower branch have a walk-over, and for the Board Messrs. Barrett and Moon are counted as the winners. Mr. Barrett is a present member. His work has been exceptionally fine, and his loyalty to his constituents has placed him close to them. Mr. Barrett is a patriotic citizen, with no axes to grind and with only the good of the city at heart. He has often sacrificed his business and social engagements in the interests of the city, and his constituents feel they can hardly let a man like that go.

Mr. Moore is one of the young men, energetic and full of the fire of a man who wishes to help his city become one of high standing. He is as popular as any one can be, and stands ready to put his whole energy into play in order to do so for the community. Councilman Charlie Pettit has plenty of opposition. He has done good work in Council, but has the opposition against him.

The full ticket, as canvassed by the City Committee last night, is as follows:

First Ward—Aldermen: J. B. Rudd, A. R. Hooker. Assembly: J. S. Wakefield, J. D. Reams, Waverly Nunnally, C. C. Jones, G. W. Reams.

Second Ward—Aldermen: J. R. Perdue, L. B. Tilley, W. E. Gill. Assembly: C. L. Pettit, A. J. Daffron, B. A. Nunnally, D. H. Hay.

Third Ward—Aldermen: R. L. Patram, J. T. Abbott. Assembly: G. S. Grizzard, C. Cox, R. V. Owen, T. H. Betty, H. C. Nelson, M. W. Goodman.

Fourth Ward—Aldermen: John W. Moore, John W. Barrett, B. M. Robertson. Assembly: W. B. Bradley, W. O. Ferguson, T. E. Taylor.

The campaign is now on for fair. The heavy men will win, and with Mayor Maierice opposed by Mr. J. E. Davidson, it is an open question as to which will win, with the chances in favor of the incumbent.

The impression last night was that the "combination" candidates in all the wards, but the Second, would be defeated, and that the incumbents would be re-elected.

FUNERAL OF MRS. PORTER

The funeral of Mrs. W. L. Porter, whose sudden death early Sunday morning was such a shock to her large circle of friends, took place from the residence, No. 120 Cowardin Avenue, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The attendance of friends was very large and so attached were all this company to her that few eyes were dry. The service was conducted by Rev. C. O. Woodward and R. M. Chandler, and was very tender and appropriate. Touching references were made in the brief talk of Mr. Woodward and the prayers to the beautiful character of the departed lady, and to the great sorrow, which those who survived were called up to bear. Friends in Manchester and Richmond sought by means of sending many beautiful floral offerings to express, although feebly, the high regard in which Mrs. Porter was held. The flowers, fragrant and pure, woven into wreaths and crosses, almost hid the casket from view. The service at the grave was of the simplest character, but touching to all—heartrending to those who knew her best and therefore loved her best.

LICENSE GRANTED.

Judge Clifton yesterday granted a liquor license to A. F. Donald, to conduct a saloon on Hull Street, near Seventh, the place recently occupied by W. A. Neal. Mr. Neal sold his property for \$250, and moved and gave license in liquor business for two years.

Mr. Dobbins's place is closed. Mr. Dobbins will leave for West Virginia this morning, to stay some days. He will probably engage in business in that State.

PERSONAL AND BRIEFS.

While the police committee has not sanctioned the proposition to hold contests in an entertainment for the benefit of the department, the entertainment will be given at an early date, and the members of the force expect to derive considerable benefit therefrom.

It is hoped the police commission will reconsider their action in not endorsing the movement, and give the police a chance to show their ability as athletes.

The City Assembly will meet in regular session on Friday night.

A regular meeting of the city mission will be held this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.



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The Buildings and Grounds committee of the department will meet on Thursday night.

The Corporation Court has adjourned for the term.

MR. LEE RESIGNS.

Gives Up His Seat in the House and the Mayoralty of Crewe.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHESAPE, VA., May 10.—Mr. Henry E. Lee has tendered his resignation to Gov. A. J. Montague, as member of House of Delegates, from the district composed of Nottingham and Amelia, he has also resigned his office as Mayor of Crewe. Mr. Lee was recently appointed Commonwealth's attorney for Nottingham county, and therefore resigned the above positions.

Congressman Robert G. Southall and Judge Walter A. Watson were in town yesterday. Mr. Southall is very popular here, and it is generally conceded that he has made an able representation in Congress.

Call Rev. Plummer Jones.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ARVONA, VA., May 10.—The Presbyterian Church of Arvona, near Scottsville, is extending a call to Mr. Plummer Jones, who will arrive at Union Theological Seminary to-morrow. Mr. Jones has several calls under consideration, and so far has not made known his decision.

Mr. R. B. Hughes, accompanied by Dr. John Randolph, left for Scottsville today, where they were called to the bedside of Mr. Schultz, father-in-law of Mr. J. Schultz.

Mr. Schultz is critically ill with diabetes.

Mrs. Solie Chambers has received a letter announcing the serious illness of her son, Mr. Calvin Chambers, who is a patient in the hospital at Cincinnati, Ohio.

MABEL HARPER DIES FROM HER INJURIES

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 10.—Mabel Harper, the little twelve-year-old girl who was burned all over her body yesterday on her father's burning barge, while trying to rescue her little brother and sister, died of her injuries last night at the Alexandria Hospital.

STANLEY IS NOW AT REST

Famous African Explorer Dies in London and Leaves Behind a Most Honorable Career.

WAS CIVIL WAR VETERAN

Served in the Confederate Army and Afterwards Engaged in Newspaper Work.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, May 10.—Sir Henry M. Stanley, the African explorer, whose death was announced in the dispatches early this morning passed away peacefully shortly after 8 o'clock. He was quite conscious to the last and able to recognize his wife. Before he died he expressed a wish to be buried at his country seat, Furze Hill, Pirbright, Surrey. The question, however, is being discussed of burying him beside Livingstone in Westminster Abbey.

Sketch of His Career.

Sir Henry Morton Stanley, the African explorer, though a citizen of the United States, was born near Denbigh, in Wales, in 1840. His real name was John Rowlands, but his family was in poor circumstances, and he came to America at the age of fourteen, landing in New Orleans.

He assumed the name of Stanley from a Southern merchant by that name, who became his benefactor, and who took a keen interest in the young Welshman during his lifetime. He served in the Confederate army during the Civil War, and later became a war correspondent for the New York Tribune, Missouri Democrat and the New York Herald.

When Livingstone was lost in Africa he was chosen to lead the search for the missionary explorer. His expeditions were leading events of his time, and were of great value in opening up the heart of Africa. One of these was the taking of aid to Livingstone in the year 1872 and another, notable for its achievement, going to the relief of Emin Pasha. Stanley having been summoned from America to assume the charge of the expedition.

In 1879, under the auspices of Leopold, King of the Belgians, he was sent to found the Congo Free State, and was made its governor.

In 1890, after consulting his health in Egypt and the south of France, he returned to London and met with receptions almost royal in their splendor and magnificence. He was everywhere fêted and feted. Shortly after his return his marriage to Miss Dorothy Tennant occurred in Westminster Abbey.

He held a seat in the House of Commons for five years and received the knighthood in 1899. In recent years he has lectured extensively throughout the United States and Europe.

His most conspicuous works are "Through the Back of the Continent," "The Congo and the Founding of the Free State," "How I Found Livingstone," "My Kalula," a novel, and "In Darkest Africa, or the Quest, Rescue and Retreat of Emin."

PROF. BRENT THE ORATOR

A Hotel for One Hundred and Fifty Years Closed.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

EASTVILLE, VA., May 10.—Professor J. C. Brent, of the University of Virginia, delivered the commencement address at the University of Virginia, June 10th. Professor Brent is well known on the Shore, where he was a teacher for many years.

The University of Virginia Alumni Association met here to-day. Arrangements will be made for a banquet during July. About fifteen members were present.

The Orton Hotel here has been closed because the proprietor could not get a license. This house has been run as a hotel continuously for nearly 150 years. Well authenticated traditions show that for the past 100 years it has certainly never shut its doors to the traveling public until this week.

WESTMORELAND COURT

Damage Verdict to Mrs. Mitchell.

Anti-Saloon League's Work.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHILTON, VA., May 10.—The Circuit Court of Westmoreland county, presided over by Judge T. R. B. Wright, of Tappahannock, Va., has been in session at Montross for the past two weeks, with

Useful Discoveries

Are Not Always Starting, Neither Do They Create the Most Talk.

It is not always the greatest, most startling discoveries of science that are most useful to the human race.

Comparatively few people were directly interested in Herschel's finding of the new planet Uranus, but many thousands have been benefited by Professor Unna's experiments, which proved beyond a question that Dandruff and Baldness are the results of the intrusion of a parasitic germ, which invades the roots of the hair.

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the exception of last Monday, which was court day at Warsaw, Richmond county. The court will not adjourn for several days yet.

Judge Wright says he will not leave the county until the docket is cleared.

Mrs. L. C. Mitchell, of Fredericksburg, Va., secured a verdict of \$200 against Mr. Hardwick, of Kinsale, Va., for damages done Mrs. Mitchell by Mr. Hardwick's failure to comply with his agreement in a contract renting her his hotel property at Kinsale. The case lasted four days. She sued for \$500. Judge Wright sustained the action of the jury.

An Anti-Saloon League will be organized in this community in the near future. The league is doing a great and good work throughout the Northern Neck.

CAR ROBBERS ARRESTED

Extensive Improvements to the Orange Horse Show Grounds.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ORANGE, VA., May 10.—J. W. Bowman, a white man of Basic City, Va., is in jail here charged with breaking into a car on a side track here and stealing two pairs of fine shoes. Neal Braxton, a negro of this place, who helped in the robbery, was also arrested. The arrest was made on circumstantial evidence, several pairs of the shoes having been found.

An addition of forty feet will be added to the grand stand on the horse show grounds at this place. This is made necessary on account of the large crowd that attends the show. A new judge's stand will also be built. Every effort will be made by the committee, who have the business in hand, to make the show a success.

Indications point to a good show this year.

DEATH TAKES STRONG GRIP ON THIS FAMILY

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GLADESBORO, VA., May 10.—John Finney, who died a few days since, makes four deaths in this afflicted family in a very short space of time. First the wife died, then a young man of about 25 years, then a girl, and now the husband and father, and another daughter is very low, not expected to live but a few days.

Staunton Weddings.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

STAUNTON, VA., May 10.—Mr. Grey W. Michael and Miss Lilly L. Clatterbaugh, both of this place, were married by Rev. M. L. Wood, of the Baptist church, at his residence this morning. Miss Clara was the bride. The bride was a very young and exceedingly handsome. Mr. Paul J. Jones, of Staunton, was the best man. The ceremony was performed at 10 o'clock.

Buckingham Bits.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WEIT, VA., May 10.—Andy Forbes and sister Miss Jane have left for North Carolina, where they will reside for some time. The reason for their removal from this county being caused by the destruction of their father's property, the late John S. Forbes, by the incendiary fire on the night of the 3d of March last. It is to be deplored that the hand of vandalism should be the cause of the county losing such an excellent young man and amiable young lady.

A rural free delivery route will be established from this place, via New Store, Andersonville, Forbes and return here. The inspector has reported in favor of the route, and it is expected it will start about July 1st. This route will greatly benefit a large section of country which at present has bad mail facilities.

The applications for the position of carrier are numerous, and if all of those are successful in passing the examination the department will have a large list from which to select the carrier.



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PUBLIC INSTALLATION.

Union Council, Royal Arcanum, Has Enjoyable Rally.

Taylor's Hall, on Church Hill, was filled last night by the members and friends of Union Council, No. 31, Royal Arcanum.

The occasion was one which rarely ever occurs at this time of the year, the public installation of officers. Four new officers of the council were installed with much ceremony, and incidentally an attractive musical programme was well rendered, after which an excellent collation was served.

The election of officers were due to the resignation of Rev. James E. Cooke, the orator of the council, who has accepted a call to Clifton Forge, and the resignation of Mr. Frank L. Butler, the recent officer of the council. Mr. Butler's resignation was due to the honors bestowed upon him by his council in electing him representative to the Grand Council.

The following officers were installed by Grand Warden W. T. Dabney, with Grand Officer W. M. Bickers acting as grand guide: Past Regent, F. L. Butler; recent, W. H. Curry; vice regent, J. P. Fox; chaplain, Rev. B. P. Bampton; has been elected orator, but was unable to be present last night to be installed.

Among the speakers of the evening were Judge David C. Richardson, Rev. M. Ash Jones, Rev. P. T. McFadden, Supreme Representative V. M. Hectors, W. C. Dabney, W. L. Gartick and John A. Curtis.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. John M. Hudspeth.

The death of Mrs. Louie Hudspeth occurred at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon at the home of her parents, No. 220 East Broad Street. She was the wife of Mr. John M. Hudspeth, of Midlothian, Va., and the daughter of John W. and Jessie Ginn Frayer.

The funeral will take place at 10:30 o'clock this morning from the Seventh Street Church.

Christopher Bolton.

Mr. Christopher Bolton died at his home at Laurel Station, in Henrico. He was in his eighty-first year. He leaves four daughters and one son. The funeral took place at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon from the house.

Mrs. Branch Watkins.

The death of Mrs. Branch Watkins occurred last Wednesday at her home, near Glendale, in Henrico county. She leaves her husband and five children. The funeral took place Saturday from Willis's Church.

Joseph N. Smith.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

GLADESBORO, VA., May 10.—Mr. Joseph N. Smith, an old Confederate soldier of this place, died yesterday and will be buried to-day at the Willis Gap Cemetery, on top of the Blue Ridge Mountains. Mr. Smith was nearly eighty years old.

Miss Alma Duffer.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ROANOKE, VA., May 10.—The funeral of Miss Alma Duffer was held at the

home of her parents, Mr. Charles H. and Mrs. Anna E. Duffee, near Robious, Chesterfield county, Va., on Saturday at 3 o'clock.

The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Clark, a student at Richmond College, and a friend of the family, assisted by Rev. Robert H. Winfree, of Midlothian.

The interment was in the family burying ground.

Mrs. W. M. Myers.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HARRISONBURG, VA., May 10.—Mrs. Wilbur M. Myers died suddenly at her home here this afternoon about 6 o'clock. She was a daughter of Mr. A. L. Taylor, the master mechanic of the J. P. Houck Tanning Company, and was about thirty years old.

She leaves a husband and one child.

Mrs. Rebecca Revercomb.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HARRISONBURG, VA., May 10.—Mrs. Rebecca Revercomb, widow of Hugh C. Revercomb, died yesterday afternoon at the home of her daughter, near Bridge-water, eight miles west of here. She was in the seventy-third year of her age and leaves eight children—four boys and four girls.

Thomas E. Jones.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., May 10.—Mr. Thomas E. Jones, a prominent citizen of Spotsylvania county, is dead of consumption, aged fifty-three years. He is survived by his wife, one daughter and one son.

Jonah Balton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ALEXANDRIA, VA., May 10.—Jonah Balton, an aged and respected resident

of this city, died last night at his home in Montgomery Street, aged ninety-one years. The remains were shipped to Hittington.

DEATHS.

BUTLER.—Died, at his residence, 2215 Fairmount Avenue, Monday morning at 4:15 o'clock, LESLIE BUTLER, in the twenty-eighth year of his age. He leaves a devoted wife, mother and one brother to mourn their loss.

Funeral from Pine Street Baptist Church WEDNESDAY EVENING at 4 o'clock.

One precious to our hearts has gone. The voice we loved is stilled. The place made vacant in our home Can never more be filled.

Our Father in His Wisdom called. The boon His love had given. And though on earth the body lies The soul is safe in heaven.

PORTER.—Died, at her residence, No. 120 Cowardin Avenue, Manchester, Sunday, May 8, 1904, at 8 A. M., Mrs. W. N. E. PORTER, beloved wife of W. Logan Porter, aged sixty-five years. Funeral took place from the house TUESDAY AFTERNOON at 5 o'clock. Interment in Maury Cemetery.

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